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The State Sunday School Convention will be held at Owensboro beginning August 25 and continuing three days.

Last Monday while a section gang on the L. & E. was making a short curve at Walker's trestle, about one mile the other side of Torrent, the hand car jumped the track and went dashing to the ground a distance of over fifty feet, killing two men instantly and seriously injuring three others.

A lady who is gifted with marvelously tenacious memory, has sold her head to a medical college of New York for \$20. She has made a will leaving instructions that after death her body is to be decapitated and her head delivered to the surgeons for dissection, and the trunk and limbs are to be buried.

J. L. Hainline, candidate for county clerk of Montgomery county, was in town Thursday. Mr. Hainline is well known in this place and we are more than anxious to see our old friend elected to fill the office to which he aspires.

The Evening Free Lance will begin the publication of a weekly edition in about ten days. It will be a seven column, four page paper and Democratic in principle. The subscription price will be 50 cents a year. We predict for it a wide circulation.

Mt. Sterling capitalist are trying to organize a Stock Company to build a branch road from that city to Clay City. The road, if built, will be of untold benefit to Clay City and the entire Red river valley as it will be a competing road of the L. & E. which will give us a lower rate of freight.

Advertise in the Times and see how your trade will grow. Try it.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Baptist—Rev. Geo. W. McIntosh, pastor; services every first Saturday and Sunday.

M. E. Church South—Rev. D. P. Ware, pastor; services on third Saturday night and Sunday morning.

M. E. Church—Rev. F. L. Creech, pastor; services at Kimbrell's chapel first Sunday.

Job Printing done cheap at this office.

J. L. KING,
INDIAN FIELDS, KY.,
will be in
SPOUTSPRING

On Wednesday of each week after all kinds of produce. Save your produce for me. I pay the highest market price for same in CASH.

OUR CLUBBING LIST.

We have made arrangements by which we can furnish any of the following papers and THE TIMES at the prices below named:

Courier-Journal	\$1.00	Home and Farm	60
Enquirer	65	Louisville Commercial	60

All of the above named papers are well known and one or more of them should be in each home. Address all orders with the cash to

THE TIMES, Spoutspring, Ky.

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J. E. BURGHR, JR., Editor.

30 cents per annum.

SPOUT SPRING, KY.

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LOCALS.

Subscribe for The Times.

Our motto: A home made paper.

Commercial and Times both one year for 60c.

Oscar Milton went to Wadesmill Tuesday.

Go to W. R. Cassidy's, Clay City, for clothing.

W. E. Heflin sold to J. V. McKinney a bunch of 600 lbs heifers at 2½ cents.

Mrs. Dena Dawson, of Chilton, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Barnett.

Mrs. Hattie Elkin, of Log Lick, has been the guest of Mrs. Jno. W. Barnett this week.

J. Willmot McKinney pulled out Monday for Hudson, Illinois. He has accepted a position with his uncle, J. D. McKinney at that point.

El King has sold out his grocery store at Clay City and moved back to his farm in Clark county, near this place this week.

Jeff Wright has gone to Clark county on business.

James Hamilton, of College Hill, was here on Wednesday.

T. S. Douglas, of Levee, was in this vicinity buying cattle this week.

J. J. Curry, traveling salesman, of Winchester, was in town Wednesday.

Herbert Heflin, of Levee, was the guest of his brother W. E. Heflin Tuesday.

R. W. Smith, with Carter Dry Goods Co., Louisville, Ky. was interviewing our merchants Wednesday.

Robert Engle, of College Hill bought a number of lambs in this community the past week.

The Times failed to reach the office at Clay City last Saturday. They were mailed in plenty time to reach that office on time.

James H. Crow, who is teaching the Vienna school, was knocked in the head with a rock by Troy Pucket, aged eighteen years and a son of Sam Pucket. The trouble was over a whipping which teacher Crow had given Pucket, Pucket became enraged and slipped up behind Crow and hit him in the back of the head, inflicting a most severe wound. The above report is as we first heard it and we have not yet learned the particulars.

Subscribe for The Times.

W. E. Heflin has been attending the Powell county Institute at Stanton this week.

The Times has the largest circulation of any paper in Estill county.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

For pure groceries, go to J. E. Burgher's.

Use Mansfield's flour.

UP TOWN STORE for bargains.

Eat wholesome bread made of Mansfield's best flour.

A full line of harness and plow gear at Patrick's.

Slippers at cost for cash.
J. E. Burgher, Jr.

They all want it: THE TIMES.

15 lbs of dry salt meat for \$1. at Patrick's,

A full supply of bacon at J. E. Burgher's at 6½ cts. per lb. in quantities.

For stoves, hardware and queensware, go to W. R. Cassidy's.

Children knee pant suits 50c at Patrick's.

WANTED—All the Ginseng and Yellow root that can be bought for the highest market price.

J. E. Burgher, Jr.

The Estill County Teachers Institute will be held at Irvine the week beginning Monday August 17.

**MONTHLY REPORT
Of District No. 1, Estill Co.,
KFNTUCKY.**

For School month ending August 7, 1896:
Pupils enrolled during the months: Male 22, Female 14, Total 36, Whole number enrolled to date: Male 22, Female, 14 Total 36, Av'g daily attendance, 30 $\frac{1}{2}$, Per cent. of attendance, based on census, 41 $\frac{1}{2}$, Per cent. of attendance, based on enrollment, 84 $\frac{3}{4}$, Average standing of pupils in scholarship in the various branches, 100 representing perfect: Primer 60, First Reader 62, Second Reader 75, Third Reader 70, Fourth Reader 67, Spelling 80, Language 90, Grammar 65, Arithmetic 87, Geography 74, History U. S. 72, History Ky. 75, Physiology 80.

General average standing of the school, based on average scholarship, attendance, punctuality, neatness and deportment, Good.

J. W. EDWARDS, Teacher.

Pay us what you owe us. We have run business about as long as we can afford to without money. Remember we will take most any thing you have to sell on account

Big money saved by bringing your Job Printing to this office.

WANTED- 50,000 staves to be delivered at Spout Spring, I will pay the highest market price for same

J. F. Burgher, Jr.

Blacksmithing.

All kinds of blacksmithing neatly and cheaply done at my shop.

Thos. McKinney.

SPOUTSPRING, KY.

Bargains at J. E. Burgher's

Berry Hall has been visiting relatives in Montgomery county this week.

PAINTS!

Don't your house need painting? Then buy the famous

BLUEGRASS P'NT

And you will have the best.

Sold by

J.E.Burgher, Jr.

Bob Tipton, of Montgomery county, passed through town Wednesday with 81 head of cattle which he had bought in the upper counties.

Grant Elkin and J. W. Dawson, Jr. returned from the mountains yesterday wherethey had traded some horses to cattle and hogs.

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The clever And Successful MAN

Is always wide awake; The wide-awake man is searching for bargains. It is duty, bound in justice to his own business interest and family to read the following prices quoted by the reliable CASH STORE of

**W. R. CASSIDY,
CLAY CITY, KY.**

You will see

readily at sight that he can save you money:

Arbuckles coffee	20c alb.
Extra green "	20 " "
Seedless raisens	5 " "
Good size pickles	7c a doz.
Lead pencils	3 " "
No 1 lamp flue	3c each
No. 2 " "	5 "
Ladies Dongolia button shoes	85c a pr.
No. 7 cooking stove, vessels and all complete	at \$6.50.

A large line of **CLOTHING, HATS and SHOES** sold at the **LOWEST PRICES**.

No trouble to show goods and give prices.

Yours RESPECTFULLY,
W. R. CASSIDY.

Judge O'Rear recently decided that the Mt. Sterling and Maysville Turnpike company had the right to collect toll from persons on their road to and from church, owing to the provision to that effect which is contained in the old charter. The net earnings of this road for the past year was \$10,587.29.

Tom Brown, of Clay, became insane the other day and butchered up his family with an ax. He beat and chopped his mother-in-law, Mrs. Cash, his wife and baby. They are horribly mangled and can not possibly recover. After he had done the deed he went to his neighbor and asked him to shoot him.

THE MARKET.

The following are prices quoted by a produce dealer of this place.

Spoutspring, Ky., Aug. 15,	
Beans	75 to \$1.20
Beef hides	3
Beeswax	20
Corn	35
Ducks	6
Eggs	4
Feathers	30
Ginseng	\$2.00
Spring chickens	5
Tallow	34

Take your produce to J. E. Burgher, Jr., where you can get the highest price for it.

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All Light Dress Goods, Slippers, Straw Hats &c.

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Invites all to come on with their CASH or PRODUCE and buy more goods for \$1.00 than any where else in the country. A fine line of CLOTHING at VERY LOW PRICES.

A complete line of dress goods in Henrietta, Crepon Satteens, Ginghams, White goods & etc. Below are some of the bargains we are offering you:

Men's cotton pants	\$.50	One paper of pins	1¢
" single overalls	30	" paper of needles	1
Plaid ginghams	5	" " hair pins	1
Corsets 25¢ up		Heavy tea spoons	5
Extra size towell	5	" table "	10
Large line of suspenders	10	Two fine combs	5

Terms: CASH.

W. G. Patrick.